

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY JOB CLASS SPECIFICATION

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INSPECTOR III

Job Number: 20000796

Job Code: 32200V150416

Job Group: 3200 - PERSONAL SAFETY AND BUILDING INSP

Job Established: 12/16/1985

Job Revised: 04/16/2015

Grade: 15 Salary (MIN - MID): Special Entrance Rate:

\$19.882-\$26.339 - Hourly
\$3,230.84-\$4,280.10 - 37.5 Hr. Monthly Salary
\$3,446.22-\$4,565.44 - 40 Hr. Monthly Salary
NONE

PROBATIONARY PERIOD:

This job has an initial and promotional probationary period of 6 months. For additional information refer to: http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/101/001/325.htm.

<u>CHARACTERISTICS OF THE JOB:</u> Characteristics of a job are general statements indicating the level of responsibility and discretion of positions in that job classification. These are not intended to be an exhaustive list.

Supervises employees and performs inspections involving the safety, storage, handling and transportation of hazardous materials. Supports Emergency State Functions (EFS 10) at the command level. Responds at the request of management or the local jurisdiction to assist with determining cause and origin associated with fire loss. Provides direction and guidance to subordinates regarding fire investigations; and performs other duties as required.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

EDUCATION:

High school graduate.

EXPERIENCE:

Must have five years of experience in fire safety or the inspection and/or handling of hazardous materials.

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Related technical training will substitute for the experience on a year-for-year basis.

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SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS (AGE, LICENSURE, REGULATION, ETC.):

Must possess and maintain a valid driver's license prior to appointment in this classification. Must have completed Incident Command Systems 100.b; IS-700; IS-200, IS-800; http://training.fema.gov/is

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOB CLASSIFICATION: Examples of duties or responsibilities are not to be construed as describing what the duties or responsibilities of any position shall be and are not to be construed as limiting the appointing authority's ability to assign, or otherwise alter the duties and responsibilities of a position. This is not intended to be an exhaustive list.

Supervises and assigns the duties and work to employees who inspect the storage, handling and transportation of hazardous materials, and provides technical advice and assistance to field personnel. Works with various committees associated with hazardous materials. Advises fire officials, law enforcement officers, public officials, and industry representatives of the properties and characteristics of hazardous materials, and the techniques and procedures to follow in dealing with hazardous materials emergencies. Responds to hazardous material incidents in support of Emergency State Functions (EFS 10) providing technical and engineering advice, and assistance in hazard mitigation. Investigates cause, origin and circumstances of fires and explosions, and may be required to provide expert testimony during probable cause hearings, grand jury testimony, depositions, pre-trials, trials, prosecutor inquiries, etc. Provides instructive methodology in investigation of fires to fire service and law enforcement. Prepares records and reports for the State Fire Marshal.

UNIQUE PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Must be able to bend, stoop, crawl and climb.

TYPICAL WORKING CONDITIONS: Incumbents in the job will typically perform their job duties under these conditions.

Frequent travel is required to inspect sites and respond to hazardous material incidents. Incumbent must be able to make oral presentations when requested.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

Applicants and employees in this job title may be required to submit to a drug screening test and background check. Applicants and employees in positions which perform job duties that may require contact with offenders in the custody or supervision of the Department of Corrections or with youth in the care, custody, or supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice must meet qualifications pursuant to the federal Prison Rape Elimination Act, 28 C.F.R.115.17 and 115.317.

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